SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF EXAMINER INTERVIEW OF JULY 24, 2008 UNDER MPEP § 713.04

A telephonic Examiner interview was conducted on July 24, 2008, with Examiner Arpan Sayla and Mark Farrell, counsel for the Applicant, attending.

A proposed amendment to the claims, and to claim 1 in particular was discussed. At issue was whether the proposed amendment would overcome a § 101 rejection. After consulting with a supervisor, Examiner Savla and the supervisor agreed that the proposed amendment would overcome the § 101 rejection.

Agreement on the allowance of any claim was not reached during the interview.

Agreement that the proposed amendment would overcome the § 101 rejection was reached.